

ALPACA SHOW

SUPERINTENDENT: Ann Danielson

JUDGE: TBD

ENTRIES CLOSE DECEMBER 20, 2023

BEGIN ARRIVAL: Wednesday, January 17, 12:00 p.m.
IN PLACE: Thursday, January 18, 12:00 p.m.
FLEECE SHOW: Friday, January 19, 9:00 a.m.
SHOW: Friday, January 19, 1:00 p.m., An Afternoon with Llama and Alpaca
SHOW: Friday, January 19, 1:00 p.m., (Performance)
SHOW: Saturday, January 20, 1:00 p.m., (Halter)
BEGIN RELEASE: Sunday, January 21, Following show
ALL OUT: Sunday, January 21, 5:00 p.m.

1. Entries:

- A. All NWSS livestock entries are online at livestockentry.nationalwestern.com.
- B. **Entry Fees:** Entry fees are as follows and include free parking:
Halter: \$20/animal/class • **Performance:** \$5/participant/class • **Stalls:** \$35/stall *Stalls are 8' x 10' x 4'. (One bag of bedding per stall included).*
- C. **Any questions regarding entry, please call Ann Danielson at 720-341-1673 or email her at alpacaannie@gmail.com.**

2. Special Rules:

- A. The Alpaca Show is sponsored by the Alpaca Breeders of the Rockies and entrants must abide by all rules and regulations of the Alpaca Breeders of the Rockies and the National Western Stock Show.
- B. The Alpaca Halter Show is open to Farm Members of the Alpaca Breeders of the Rockies in good standing as of August 31, 2023. The Performance Show is open to all youth (5-18) and adult Alpaca Enthusiasts. Performance Show entrants must be the age listed for the class as of January 1, 2024. The halter show is open to yearlings and two-year olds and older.
- C. **A LIMITED NUMBER OF STALLS WILL BE AVAILABLE.** Stalls will be assigned by the Show Superintendent on a first come, first served basis. Number of stalls per farm is limited to five (5) stalls. Maximum number of Yearling alpacas in stalls is four (4) and Two and older alpacas is three (3). Exhibitors must participate in the halter or performance show to purchase stalls.
- D. Only Alpacas entered in the Halter or Performance Show are allowed on the grounds of the NWSS
- E. Exhibitors should dress appropriately to showcase their Alpaca(s).
- F. **Health Regs:** All Alpacas must have a Certificate of Veterinary Inspection issued by a licensed veterinarian in the state of origin within thirty (30) days prior to the date of the show. This certificate must also show a treatment for scabies within thirty (30) days prior to date of show. **All Alpacas must be accompanied by a copy of a negative BVD test.** Alpacas without the proper health certificates will not be allowed on the grounds. **An ARI certification must be sent to Jessie Mazurek at healingwhitewolf@gmail.com or PO Box 1146 Fairplay, CO 80440.**
- G. Alpacas should be entered in the correct color class (see color class list). Classes will be combined if necessary.

H. Ribbons will be awarded to the top ten (10) places and Banners for Champion, Reserve Champion and Grand Champion for Halter Classes. Ribbons will be awarded to the top ten (10) places for Obstacles and Public Relations Classes and Banners for Champion and Reserve Champions for the Obstacles and Public Relations. Ribbons for the Costume class will be awarded to the top ten (10) places. Championships will only be awarded to classes with 3 or more alpacas. This is a premium payout show based on the Alpaca Show Premium List.

HALTER – HUACAYA MALES

- 101 Huacaya Yearling Males – Grey
- 102 Huacaya 2 Yr./Mature Males – Grey
- 103 Huacaya Yearling Males - Multi-Colored
- 104 Huacaya 2 Yr./Mature Males - Multi-Colored
Huacaya Grey/Multi-Colored Male Championship
- 105 Huacaya Yearling Males – Black
- 106 Huacaya 2 Yr./Mature Males – Black
- 107 Huacaya Yearling Males - Brown
- 108 Huacaya 2 Yr./Mature Males - Brown
Huacaya Dark Male Championship
- 109 Huacaya Yearling Males – Dark Fawn/Med Fawn
- 110 Huacaya 2 Yr./Mature Males - Dark Fawn/Med Fawn
- 111 Huacaya Yearling Males – Lt Fawn/Beige
- 112 Huacaya 2 Yr./Mature Males – Lt Fawn/Beige
Huacaya Light Male Championship
- 113 Huacaya Yearling Males - White
- 114 Huacaya 2 Yr./Mature Males - White
Huacaya White Male Championship

HALTER – HUACAYA FEMALES

- 201 Huacaya Yearling Females – Grey
- 202 Huacaya 2 Yr./Mature Females – Grey
- 203 Huacaya Yearling Females - Multi-Colored
- 204 Huacaya 2 Yr./Mature Females - Multi-Colored
Huacaya Grey/Multi-Colored Female Championship
- 205 Huacaya Yearling Females – Black
- 206 Huacaya 2 Yr. /Mature Females – Black
- 207 Huacaya Yearling Females - Brown
- 208 Huacaya 2 Yr./Mature Females - Brown
Huacaya Dark Female Championship
- 209 Huacaya Yearling Females – Dark Fawn/Med Fawn
- 210 Huacaya 2 Yr./Mature Females - Dark Fawn/Med Fawn
- 211 Huacaya Yearling Females – Lt Fawn/Beige
- 212 Huacaya 2 Yr. /Mature Females – Lt Fawn/Beige
Huacaya Light Female Championship
- 213 Huacaya Yearling Females - White
- 214 Huacaya 2 Yr./Mature Females - White
Huacaya White Female Championship

HALTER – SURI MALES

- 301 Suri Yearling Males – Grey

- 302** Suri 2 Yr./Mature Males – Grey
- 303** Suri Yearling Males - Multi-Colored
- 304** Suri 2 Yr./Mature Males - Multi-Colored
Suri Grey/Multi-Colored Male Championship
- 305** Suri Yearling Males – Black
- 306** Suri 2 Yr./Mature Males – Black
- 307** Suri Yearling Males - Brown
- 308** Suri 2 Yr./Mature Males - Brown Suri
Dark Male Championship
- 309** Suri Yearling Males – Dark Fawn/Med Fawn
- 310** Suri 2 Yr./Mature Males - Dark Fawn/Med Fawn
- 311** Suri Yearling Males – Lt Fawn/Beige
- 312** Suri 2 Yr. /Mature Males – Lt Fawn/Beige
Suri Light Male Championship
- 313** Suri Yearling Males - White
- 314** Suri 2 Yr./Mature Males - White Suri
White Male Championship

HALTER – SURI FEMALES

- 401** Suri Yearling Females – Grey
- 402** Suri 2 Yr./Mature Females – Grey
- 403** Suri Yearling Females - Multi-Colored
- 404** Suri 2 Yr./Mature Females - Multi-Colored
Suri Grey/Multi-Colored Female Championship
- 405** Suri Yearling Females – Black
- 406** Suri 2 Yr./Mature Females – Black
- 407** Suri Yearling Females - Brown
- 408** Suri 2 Yr./Mature - Brown
Suri Dark Female Championship
- 409** Suri Yearling Females – Dark Fawn/Med Fawn
- 410** Suri 2 Yr. /Mature Females - Dark Fawn/Med Fawn
- 411** Suri Yearling Females – Lt Fawn/Beige
- 412** Suri 2 Yr. /Mature Females – Lt Fawn/Beige
Suri Light Female Championship
- 413** Suri Yearling Females - White
- 414** Suri 2 Yr./Mature Females - White Suri
White Female Championship

ALPACA PERFORMANCE:

- 501** Costume (ages 5-7)
- 502** Costume (ages 8-10)
- 503** Costume (ages 11 -14)
- 504** Costume (ages 15 -18)
- 505** Costume (ages 19 +)
- 601** Obstacles (ages 5-7)
- 602** Obstacles (ages 8-10)
- 603** Obstacles (ages 11-14)
- 604** Obstacles (ages 15-18)
- 605** Obstacles (ages 19 +)

- 701** Public Relations (ages 5-7)
- 702** Public Relations (ages 8-10)
- 703** Public Relations (ages 11-14)
- 704** Public Relations (ages 15-18)
- 705** Public Relations (ages 19 +)

ALPACA AWARDS AND PREMIUMS:

PREMIUM SCHEDULE:					
Champion	Reserve Champion	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH
\$100	\$75	\$50	\$35	\$20	\$10

Premium payout begins with classes of five (5) and over for Huacaya and three (3) and over for Suri. Premiums are for Halter, Obstacles and Public Relations classes.

For the Halter Show, yearling alpacas are defined as 12 through 24 months as of January 9, 2023, and Two year /mature alpacas are defined as 25 months and older as of January 9, 2023. Championships will only be rewarded to classes with three (3) or more alpacas. Alpacas 6 months (as of January 9, 2023) and older may be entered in the Performance Show.

NATIONAL WESTERN ALPACA FLEECE SHOW

COORDINATOR – DJ Riedel
303-886-7810 • rrar@outlook.com
JUDGE: TBD

CHECK IN: Friday, January 18, 12 Noon - 5:00 pm
SHOW: Saturday, January 8, 9:00 a.m.

1. Entries:

- A. All NWSS livestock entries are online at livestockentry.nationalwestern.com.
- B. **Entry Fees:** Entry fees are \$8.00 per fleece.
- C. **Entry Limitations:** No fleece can compete in more than one (1) class except for special prizes. Color categories are: Black, Brown, Fawn, Lights (light fawn and beige), White, Grey and Multi's. Ages are: (A) 6 months to 12 months (juvenile), (B) First birthday through 24 months (yearling), (C) Second birthday and over.
- D. **Eligibility of Participants:** Farm or Fiber Associate Members of the Alpaca Breeders of the Rockies as of August 31, 2023 may enter alpaca fleece(s).
- E. **Eligibility of Fleeces:** In order to be entered in the Alpaca Fleece Show each fleece must have been shorn in 2023.

2. Special Rules:

- A. **Purpose:** The purpose of this show is to encourage the production of high-quality alpaca fleece; to promote proper handling, grading and preparation for market; to create an awareness of the many qualities of alpaca fleece and its uses.
- B. Represent no more than twelve (12) months' growth, except in the case of yearling (B) fleeces, when up to sixteen (16) month's growth will be allowed for Huacaya or twenty-four months (24) for Suri.
- C. The Alpaca Fleece Show Coordinator reserves the right to inspect any fleece entered to determine its eligibility and color placement.

3. Qualifications: Any fleece entered for competition shall be discriminated against if:

- A. Staple length is less than three inches.
- B. Showing a weak staple or break in the fiber.
- C. Containing any excess burrs or other vegetable matter, or poly twine fragments.

4. Preparation of Fleeces: All fleeces shall be rolled cut side out in a manner to allow their being handled without falling apart. It is recommended that exhibitors pack fleeces rather loosely in clear plastic bags so as not to impair their character or attractiveness.

- A. Each bag of fleece must contain a completed "Alpaca Fleece Show Entry Tag" and a copy of the ARI certificate. These tags will be available thru the ABR website, www.alpacabreeders.org. **Any help needed to fill these out, contact DJ Riedel, 303-886-7810, rrar@outlook.com.**
- B. Fleeces must be delivered to the show on January 18, 2023 between 12:00 Noon and 5:00 PM. E-mails will alert you to other drop-off areas. Mailed in fleeces will be accepted if received by December 28, 2023.
- C. Fleeces will be released for pick-up Sunday, January 21, 2023 at 4:00 p.m. Participants may pick up fleeces at the stock show or must make arrangements with DJ Reidel.

- D. In the case of any controversy relative to the classification of any fleece offered in exhibition, affidavits from the Participants may be required. However, in all such controversies involving any interpretation of these rules and regulations, the decision of a committee consisting of the Alpaca Fleece Show Coordinator, the Alpaca Fleece Show Judge and the National Western Stock Show Management shall be final.
- E. The Alpaca Fleece Show Coordinator reserves the right to combine classes if the number of entries in any individual class does not warrant a separate class and to place entries in appropriate classes and divisions as necessary.
- F. All fleeces will be displayed in clear plastic bags. Noodling is accepted.
- G. The Alpaca Breeders of the Rockies, Inc. and the National Western Stock Show Association are not responsible for fleeces entered in the Alpaca Fleece Show and/or Alpaca Fleece Silent Auction.

AWARDS AND PREMIUMS:

PREMIUM SCHEDULE:				
Champion	Reserve Champion	1ST	2ND	3RD
\$30	\$25	\$20	\$15	\$10

Premium payout begins with classes of four (4) and over for Huacaya and two (2) and over for Suri.

SILENT AUCTION OF HANDSPINNING FLEECES AND FIBER:

Only Alpaca fleeces entered in the 2023 Alpaca Fleece Show are eligible to be sold in the Silent Auction. Please see 2023 Rules for Silent Auction of Handspinning Fleeces and Fiber.